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## Special Drives In All HOT WEATHER STUFF.

Good Clean Stock to Select from, and Prices as Low as the Lowest.

We still have some Printed Lawns worth 5 cts. per yard to sell at 3½ cts., Cotton Challies worth 7½ cts. to sell at 5 cts., good Apron and Dress Gingham worth 8½ cts. to sell for 5 cts. Two lots of

**Cheap MUSLIN UNDERWEAR**  
To sell for 25 and 29 cts. a garment. The best place in the city to buy

**Silk Mitts, Leather and Silk Belts,**  
And all other midsummer necessities.

**THE D. LANGDON CO.**  
Dry Goods and Carpets.

## Great Bankrupt Sale!

—OF—  
**Boots and Shoes.**

\$10,000.00 worth of Boots and Shoes.  
MUST BE SOLD.

**NEW YORK SHOE STORE.**

Q. BROADSTREET, Assignee.

## Keep Your Eyes Open!

For BARGAINS.

We are making prices that are making things move in all departments of our store.

**A GREAT MANY THINGS at HALF PRICE**

Think of it! 1 yd. wide Challies reduced from 15c to 7½c; Pine Apple Tissue, lovely patterns, at 8½c; White Embroidered Suitings at just one-half price; White Dress Goods, in all grades, way down—70c, 80c and \$1.00 buys a nice dress; 25c Zephyr Gingham reduced to 15c; 12½ and 15c Dress Gingham reduced to 8½ and 10c; Prints, 3, 4 and 5c a yard.

**2-Bushel Grain Bags at 15 Cents.**

We don't take two bites at a cherry, but when

**WE MARK GOODS DOWN**

We split prices in the middle. Don't waste your time in stores where they pretend to mark goods down, but come where you can get real bargains.

**I. VERMILION.**

**10 CENTS.**

This advertisement is worth 10c. to you. Cut it out, sign your name on dotted line at the bottom, bring or send it with 40c. to

**WALTER ALLEN, Druggist**

Who will present you with a full sized 50c. bottle of

**Hare's Quinine Hair Tonic.**

This superior preparation is free from lead, zinc, silver, iron or any thing harmful. Applied to the scalp it cleanses it from dandruff, prevents the hair from falling out, preserves the gloss, allays irritation and neuralgic pains, and has no superior as a dressing either with or without a little vaseline.

Name.....

**Books, Magazines, AND STATIONERY**

Of all kinds at

**HOPWOOD'S.**

**LOCAL LEMES.**

Mr. A. T. Kelly is quite sick.

James Nelson is visiting Frank O'Hair, at Paris, Ills.

Duff Neff visits his brother, Dr. James Neff, at Hutsonville.

Mrs. Dan Darnall and children are visiting relatives at Bainbridge.

Judge Brown, of Indianapolis, visited Greencastle last Saturday.

A movement looking to the improvement of McLean's Springs, that it may become an accessible pleasure resort, finds many advocates in Greencastle.

Mrs. Dr. Martin left for Waynes-town, Pa., on Saturday, called by the serious injury of her son Charles, who fell from a tree. His injuries are reported as possibly fatal.

Mrs. Clagett desires to return thanks to the many who assisted in saving all possible of her residence and contents, at the recent fire. Their kindness will ever be remembered.

Lafayette has voted \$130,000 to the Monon Railroad as a subsidy to secure the location of the main shops of the company at that point—what Lafayette gains, in this matter, New Albany loses.

Died, at her late home in Tennessee, on July 31, of fever, Mrs. Ella Ragan Miller, formerly of this city, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ragan. The remains were brought here for burial, on Tuesday, and the funeral took place on the afternoon of that day, from the residence of Mr. M. A. Moore.

Locust St. M. E. Church.—Rev. Albert Hurlstone will preach next Sunday morning and night. Subject of night sermon, "Christ and the Common People." Sabbath School at 2 o'clock. Epworth League meeting at 6:30. General Class meeting led by the pastor at half past nine. All are welcome.

The report in regard to the condition of Ot Ruark is that he is about as he has been; at times he rallies and promises great improvement and then again his symptoms are unfavorable. Wednesday during the day and night he coughed up a large amount of clotted blood from the injured lung, after which he seemed to rest and feel better.

\$500 for one Acre.

On Monday last James V. Durham sold for \$500 cash, the walnut timber standing on one acre of land on his farm near Russellville. There were 27 of the trees, three of which had been considerably injured by lightning. This is the most profitable crop we have heard of as harvested off a single acre of land.

**A Fractured Spine.**

The particulars of the sad accident which happened to Mr. Charles Martin, son of Dr. Alex. Martin, near Waynes-town, Pa., on Friday last are related as follows: He fell from an apple tree to the ground, about eighteen feet, his head and shoulders striking the earth with great force. The result was a fracture of the spine just below the shoulders. The injured man is paralyzed from the shoulders down. There is a possibility of his living a long time, and cases have been known wherein persons injured in like manner have recovered sufficiently to get about on crutches, but they are exceptional—perhaps not more than one in one thousand.

**Burglars Bold.**

On Tuesday two young men—tramps—named Robinson, were seen by the neighbors leaving the house of Mr. Dodd, who lives near the county line, about three miles this side of North Salem. It was known that Mr. Dodd and his family were away from home, and that possibly a robbery had been committed. The neighbors got together and followed the suspected individuals, arresting them at North Salem. A watch, revolver and some clothing was found in their possession which they had stolen from Mr. Dodd, and the prisoners were brought back to Roachdale, where they were arraigned before Squire Cline. They both entered pleas of guilty. Sheriff Vestal went to Roachdale on Tuesday evening and brought the prisoners back on the early morning train; they are now in jail awaiting an order for transportation to Jeffersonville, and the same will be furnished them by order of the Putnam Circuit Court, when it convenes in September.

**Tax Appeal Instructions.**

County Auditor Black has received from the state auditor a circular of instructions to those intending to appeal from the decisions of the County Board of Review to the State Board. The instructions are that those making such appeals must give their full names and a full description of property in question; if really a statement of the improvements thereon and cost of the same, with its rental value, etc., must be given; also the assessment value as returned by the assessor, and the figures fixed by the County Board of Review, all of which must be sworn to. All appeals must be filed with the County Auditor before August 15, and he must immediately forward the same to the State Board of Tax Commissioners. Proper blanks will be furnished by Auditor Black for the use of those persons desiring to make appeals from the decision of the County Board of Review, and it is the duty of the members of the County Board of Review to assist appellants in preparing and filing the necessary appeal papers.

Miss Bertha Ireland, of Evansville, is visiting Mrs. Anna Oliver.

A very handsome painting in oil of the Lower Falls of Eel, near Cateract, is shown in the When window. It is the artistic work of Elisha Cowgill.

The Board of County Commissioners were in session this week, to examine and audit the August reports of the Trustees of the towns and townships.

License to marry has been issued to Fred Steele and Jennie Dicks, Morton Watts and Maude E. Asher, Peter Shoppell and Lutisha Monnet, Carrol K. Priest and Cordelia Starr, Alvin Sears and Eva Cox.

**Kicked.**

On Friday, at the Greencastle Stock Farm of H. S. Renick & Co., a young man named Butler was kicked on the forehead by a horse. The blow from the hoof of the horse was a glancing one, and Butler's injury was serious and painful; had he received the full force of the kick his skull would undoubtedly have been crushed.

**Survival of the Fittest.**

On Friday at Action Camp meeting, President John of the University, delivered a lecture on "The Survival of the Fittest." The lecture began with the query, "Who are the fittest and how do they survive?" "There are three planes to consider this fitness," said Dr. John, "the material, the half material and half spiritual, and the spiritual. The first are those who do the most for self and the most against others. This is the animal world. That is the fittest lion which has the sharpest teeth and the most insatiable desire for blood. That rose is fittest which smothered out a hundred others in coming to its perfected existence. The apparent waste of life is appalling. For every tree that proudly lifts its head a hundred others started. The world which you and I live in have not wholly lifted themselves from this plane. I do not mean the heathen or savage world. I mean the Acton world, the American world, the world of modern civilization. But the sentiment is changing. The Coliseum is gone, the Spanish bull-fight is going, the American prize-fight will go. On the second plane are those who advance themselves most and injure others least. Self-conquest is their principal. This is the highest ideal man reached before the gospel revelation. The animal wars with this better light. The self-conqueror reaches a good end; the clear eye, the sound lungs, a body the perfect servant of the spirit within. Still more, it produces a sound memory, a clear reason and the highest mental capacities. The Decalogue brings us to this plane. Its commands are negative. It is not exhortation to righteousness, it is the forbidding of unrighteousness. It is a negative guide-board. The self-conqueror is a mannikin. He never makes another weep, but he never wipes the tears from another's eyes.

"There is something better than self-conquest; it is self-crucifixion. That does the least for self and the most for others. Self-exaltation is animal, self-conquest is human, self-sacrifice is divine. Self-conquest is the key of the Old Testament. Self-sacrifice is that of the new. Look through the Psalms for an unselfish prayer; look through the gospel for one selfish prayer. 'Whosoever shall save his life shall lose it, but he that loseth his life shall find it.' This is true physically; it is true spiritually. Every Olivet is preceded by its Calvary. The golden rule of the Old Testament as referred to by Christ was, 'Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.' Christ's golden rule was, 'Do unto others better than you would have them do unto you.' The one the golden rule of justice, the other of love. If a philosopher had told me that self-sacrifice was possible I would not have believed him unless he had shown how it could be done. Christ proved this by his life. Shall men then set aside education and development as selfish? This depends on the purpose. The more of self-contained culture in the world the worse for the world. The highest culture comes not from a pursuit of it for its own sake, but it must look away at the world beyond. It can be done, for it is being done; it can be done, for it will be done."

**Beecham's Pills cure sick headache.**

—Prof. Beals has returned from Illinois.

—Ed. Eiteljorg is home from Kansas City.

—Miss Kate Weik is home from Baltimore.

—Gas well nearly 1200 feet deep and no gas yet.

—Prof. Walter Howe Jones is back from Iowa.

—F. S. Turk is visiting relatives in Northern Indiana.

—Joseph Grogan has returned to this city from Frankfort.

—Mrs. E. T. Chaffee and Miss Anna Chaffee are visiting at Hartford City.

—George W. Corwin and family, of St. Louis, are here visiting his mother.

—Mrs. Dan Langdon attended the M. E. church District Conference at Clay City.

—Ed. Gardner is at Indianapolis taking a course of treatment for the cure of alcoholism.

—Miss Lizzie Goulding has been elected teacher of china painting in the DePaw School of Art.

—The Commercial Hotel has been purchased by Mr. E. S. Hall from Dr. Dudley Rogers—the consideration is \$48,000.

—The numerous friends of Capt. Chaffee will be glad to learn that he is to remain in his position as Superintendent of the DePaw grounds and dining hall.

—It is said that Holland, whose name has been associated with that of Mrs. Creek, visited this city in disguise, a few days ago—his mission is unknown, but the disguise would indicate that it was not praiseworthy.

WALL PAPER

AT THE

**BIG DRUG HOUSE.**

**CENTRAL - NATIONAL - BANK,**

Greencastle, Indiana.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$300,000.00  
CAPITAL PAID IN, 100,000.00

J. V. Durham, President. R. L. O'Hair, Cashier.  
M. F. McHaffie, Vice Pres.

**FREE PASS**

—TO THE—  
**WORLD'S FAIR.**

Have you any notion of attending what promises to be one of the largest and most magnificent exhibitions of its kind the world has ever known? No man, woman or child can afford to miss this wonderful exhibition, especially when they can go FREE OF CHARGE.

We are making up a train load for Chicago in 1893, and we want you to come and go with us. Remember, we have said it shall cost you nothing to go and come. We will present you with a

**First-Class Round-Trip Ticket, FREE OF CHARGE.**

The only consideration is, that you buy your goods at our store, where each and every Cash Purchase you make the amount of one cent entitles you to one Red Ticket.

Four Red Tickets to One White Ticket.  
Four White Tickets to One Blue Ticket.  
Four Blue Tickets to One Red, White and Blue Ticket.  
Three Red, White and Blue Tickets to One First-Class Round Trip Ticket to the

**WORLD'S FAIR.**

Do not miss the opportunity of a life-time, but come and go with us; we will have a good time. Get your Tickets of

**BELL CLOTHING STORE.**

ALSPAUGH & CO.

South Side Square - Greencastle, Ind.

—Mrs. John Burk is quite sick.

—Lee Mathews is home on a visit.

—Mrs. Tingley is visiting at Michigan City.

—Mrs. Jas. T. Darnall is visiting it the East.

—Mrs. D. E. Preston is visiting at Bainbridge.

—Leslie Joslin has returned from Orange county.

—Elder Morris preaches at Bethany Park to-morrow.

—Miss Jennie Curtis has returned from Englewood.

—Master Emanuel Marquis is home from Washington.

—Mrs. C. O. Talbot and daughter are visiting at Crawfordville.

—Mrs. Albert Allen and son have returned from Lake Minnetonka.

—Mrs. Mary Milligan is here from Pendleton visiting her parents.

—Rev. O. C. Haskell and family move back to this city from Fowler, Ind.

—Mr. O. L. Lyon is attending the Normal Commencement at Valparaiso.

—Frank Hays, of Ft. Wayne, was here visiting his relatives a few days ago.

—Mrs. Bernhamer, of Indianapolis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Kiefer.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodruff, of Indianapolis, have been visiting Sheriff Vestal and wife.

—Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Wakefield, of Hutchinson, Kan., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hathaway.

—Miss Gertrude Wimmer has returned from Indianapolis, where she has been attending Commercial College.

—County Superintendent Lyon is at Indianapolis looking after the publication of the State School Manual.

—Elders Canine and Vancleave, of Montgomery county, have been the guests of County Clerk Dyer.

—Many of this city, goes to Chicago to take part in the ceremonies of the World's Fair opening, on Oct. 21.

—The Banner-Times squeals about the mention of the new City Building printed last week. The criticism was just, hence it hurt.

—Mrs. Turman, Mrs. Laughlin, Miss Alice Renick and Miss Jennie Black returned from the East on Thursday, and report a pleasant trip.

—Harry W. Allen, well known as the son of Will Allen, an old resident here, removed his family from Indianapolis California-wards, on Wednesday.

—At Locust St. M. E. Church, last Sunday, a collection of about \$75 was taken up for the benefit of Rev. Thos. Newhouse, whose house and furniture were recently destroyed by fire.

—The "oridame of civilization" in control of the Banner-Times editorial columns has not yet learned the a b c of taxation, hence the ignorance displayed in regard to that subject.

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# A Friend

Wishes to speak through the *Register* of the beneficial results he has received from a regular use of **Ayer's Pills**. He says: "I was feeling sick and tired and my stomach seemed all out of order. I tried a number of remedies, but none seemed to give me relief until I was induced to try the old reliable Ayer's Pills. I have taken only one box, but I feel like a new man. I think they are the most pleasant and easy to take of anything I ever used, being so finely sugar-coated that even a child will take them. I urge upon all who are

## In Need

of a laxative to try Ayer's Pills."—Boothbay (Me.), *Register*.

"Between the ages of five and fifteen, I was troubled with a kind of salt-rheum, or eruption, chiefly confined to the legs, and especially to the bend of the knee above the calf. Here, running sores formed which would scab over, but would break immediately on moving the leg. My mother tried everything she could think of, but all without avail. Although a child, I read in the papers about the beneficial effects of Ayer's Pills, and persuaded my mother to let me try them. With no great faith in the result, she procured

# Ayer's Pills

and I began to use them, and soon noticed an improvement. Encouraged by this, I kept on till I took two boxes, when the sores disappeared and have never troubled me since."—H. Chipman, Real Estate Agent, Roanoke, Va.

"I suffered for years from stomach and kidney troubles, causing very severe pains in various parts of the body. None of the remedies I tried afforded me any relief until I began taking Ayer's Pills, and was cured."—Wm. Goddard, Notary Public, Five Lakes, Mich.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

## Every Dose Effective

# Livery and Feed Stable,

W. B. VESTAL & SON, Props.

Just north of the northeast corner of Public Square, on North Indiana street.

## Give Us a Call

For fine rigs, good saddlers, and fine drivers.

**DENTISTRY.**  
Artificial teeth. The best fillings neat and cheap; extracting by local anesthetics, at  
**DR. KEIGHTLEY'S**  
DENTAL OFFICE,  
Opposite STAIR-PRESS Office, Greencastle, Ind.



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## WORSE THAN QUAY

IS CARTER, PRESIDENT HARRISON'S CHAIRMAN.

**Questionable Transaction of the Manager of the Republican Campaign—What the People of Iowa and Nebraska Think of the Man Who is at the Helm of the G. O. P.**

President Harrison has not been very successful in his selections of chairman to manage his campaign. He first selected W. J. Campbell, of Illinois, to head the national Republican committee. But Senator Vest, in a speech in the senate, exposed Campbell as a lobbyist and a hireling of the beef trust. This exposure drove Campbell out of the committee. Then Thomas H. Carter, of Montana, was chosen by President Harrison to fill the place left vacant by Campbell's resignation.

Carter's record was not known in Washington, but some of his victims in Iowa have given to the public some startling history of the man who is to conduct the campaign for the "grand old party of morality."

It is said that Harrison is worried over the damaging disclosure of the questionable transaction of his late land commissioner and campaign manager, but he does not feel it prudent to make Carter resign.

Two resignations from the committee within a month would be disastrous to the party.

The Omaha World-Herald publishes a special from Tekamah, Neb., which says:

Thomas H. Carter, once Mr. Harrison's commissioner of the general land office, now the manager of Mr. Harrison's boom, may not remember the people of Burt county, but they remember him. There is a host of able-bodied men in Tekamah who have been hoping many years that the opportunity would come when they could punish Carter. Republicans here who know him are indignant that he should be placed at the head of the national committee.

About twelve years ago "Tom" Carter appeared in this vicinity in the capacity of book agent, manager for R. T. Root, of "Foot prints of Time" fame.

Soon after his arrival Carter engaged shrewd men and began operations by making a personal canvass of the town, procuring the names of all the influential citizens, whether they would accept the book on delivery or not. Then he would show in a confidential way to unsuspecting citizens that he had sold twenty-five or thirty books in a single day, upon which there was a profit of \$2 each. At the same time his men, too, were getting in effective work about the "money to be made." Mr. Carter would then explain that he had territory to sell.

### Farmers Robbed of Their All.

Many farmers were taken in and induced to deed their farms for territory and never realized a dollar in the venture. Those who deeded away their farms in this county were: Frank Pratt, eighty acres; Moses Clark, 160 acres; Daniel Morrison (an old man), 160 acres; Rufus Bates, 120 acres; Marion Heath, eighty acres; H. V. B. Gibson, eighty acres; "Rube" Lee, his homestead; John Creagon, furniture store; Clint Smith, personal property; M. Brown, \$400 cash. Many others bought territory for land, cash and town property. In some manner the property was deeded to Root, who became an "innocent" purchaser. Today A. G. Davis, Frank Roth and H. C. Sawtelle, formerly of Burlington, Ia., own and are living on about 2,000 acres of this land out of which Carter traded the farmers.

Republicans as well as Democrats are frank to express their opinions of Harrison's best man, and say that if cunning and questionable methods will win the campaign, then Harrison will be elected.

### Carter Once a Democrat.

Carter was a Democrat when here, but he told friends he was going to Montana to get into politics, and inasmuch as there was nothing there for a Democrat he was going to drop into the grand old party. He dropped in.

Judge Isaac Gibson, when asked what he knew of T. H. Carter, replied: "I know he ruined a great many good citizens, financially, among whom was my son, now in California. Carter induced my son to believe there was a fortune in the sale of the book 'Footprints of Time,' and sold him territory in Montana, taking a deed to the young man's farm, all he had. The venture proved bad, and my son was completely broken up financially."

"Do you know of others who bit at Carter's bait?" the judge was asked.

"Oh, yes," was the reply. "He got Frank Pratt's fine farm north of Tekamah, old man Morrison's farm and Rufus Bates' quarter section in the same neighborhood."

### Found Victims.

J. P. Latta, president of the First National bank, asked in regard to the methods employed by T. H. Carter, when in this country, said:

"Carter first came here as a canvasser for the book 'Footprints of Time' and was head agent for B. T. Root, the publisher of the book. He made a few days' sales, then learned the names of property holders who had mortgages covering their lands for one-fourth or one-third its value and were unable to meet their obligations. He would then open his books, showing the sales and enormous profits in the book, and almost invariably get a deed to the farms of his vic-

tim in exchange for the right to sell the book in a specified territory."

"Doc" Bene, a farmer living north of Tekamah, where a large tract of this land lies which has been won from the unwary granger, said: "I had a talk with Lew Highley on this very subject some days ago and he told me just how this man Carter worked him into the 'Footprints of Time.' Highley was mortgaged on a small amount of property and Carter advanced him money with which to pay off the mortgages and buy him a new suit of clothes and took the property in exchange for a part of Kansas, a sort of a patent right. Highley after a time gave up and returned here, beating his way on the railroad, not having the money to pay his fare."

### What Towns Say of Carter.

A special from Burlington, Ia., to the Chicago Herald says:

The greatest amount of interest is taken among the citizens of Burlington in the appointment of Thomas H. Carter as chairman of the Republican national committee, and the drift of comment is not all favorable to the Montana man. He was a resident of this city for eight or ten years, and in that time joined an alliance with one T. R. Root, a book publisher, which did not tend to elevate him in the estimation of the public. Root came to Burlington some eighteen years ago and started up the publishing business, employing methods of disposing of books and canvassing territory that were, to say the least, questionable, and to this day there are farmers and country merchants all over Iowa and Nebraska who hold bitter thoughts against Root et al. for the manner in which, as they claim, they were "taken in."

It is stated that Root's method was to persuade his victims to buy county rights to sell a book called "Footprints of Time," taking a mortgage on the purchaser's farm, dwelling, store or stock of goods, as the case might be, one of the considerations being a large quantity of books.

As a general rule the mortgage came due without a corresponding income from the sale of books and the mortgage was foreclosed. No extension of time was allowed and many a poor farmer or country merchant saw his home or land or stock of goods pass from him. Great indignation was caused, and it is said that Root was constantly on his guard against personal injury. Carter was faithful to Root throughout these deals, and although but an employee, it is said, knew of and assisted his employer in the business.

It is stated that Carter expressed himself dissatisfied with Root's methods and that as soon as he (Carter) had made a little money he would quit and go west. This he did about the time Root closed up his book business. This was about ten years ago. He purchased a small law library and went to Helena, where he was shortly afterward admitted to bar. While in Burlington Carter was a rabid Democrat and took a lively interest in political matters.

Upon arrival at Helena he found that the great majority of the people of Montana were Republicans and Roman Catholics. He joined the Republican party, allied himself to the Roman Catholic parish and soon became very popular among the young Republicans and Roman Catholics of that state. By his sharp, pushing skill in political matters he soon won for himself a prominence that marked him for political preference.

The result was his election to congress as a delegate and then as senator. He again ran as senator in 1890, but was defeated. Emisaries of the Democratic party in Montana were sent to this city in that year to hunt up Mr. Carter's record, it is supposed, to use against him in the campaign.

### What a Revenue Tariff Would Do.

Repeal the McKinley law and bring the tariff to a revenue basis, and these trusts, the children of "protection," would go out of existence:

The iron and steel trust.  
The coal trust.  
The ax trust.  
The barbed wire trust.  
The biscuit and cracker trust.  
The bolt and nut trust.  
The boiler trust.  
The boot and shoe trust.  
The broom trust.  
The brush trust.  
The button trust.  
The carbon candle trust.  
The cartridge trust.  
The casket and burial goods trust.  
The castor oil trust.  
The celluloid trust.  
The cigarette trust.  
The condensed milk trust.  
The copper ingot trust.  
The copper sheet trust.  
The cordage trust.  
The crockery trust.  
The cotton duck trust.  
The cotton seed oil trust.  
The cotton thread trust.  
The electric supply trust.  
The envelope trust.  
The flint glass trust.  
The fork and hoe trust.  
The fruit jar trust.  
The galvanized iron and steel trust.  
The glove trust.  
The harrow trust.  
The harvester trust.  
The hinge trust.  
The indurated fiber trust.  
The lead trust.  
The leather board trust.  
The lime trust.  
The linseed oil trust.  
The lithograph trust.  
The locomotive tire trust.  
The marble trust.  
The match trust.  
The morocco leather trust.  
The oatmeal trust.  
The oilcloth trust.  
The paper bag trust.

The pitch trust.  
The plate glass trust.  
The pocket cutlery trust.  
The powder trust.  
The preserves trust.  
The pulp trust.  
The rice trust.  
The rubber gossamer trust.  
The rubber gossamer trust.  
The safe trust.  
The salt trust.  
The sandstone trust.  
The sanitary ware trust.  
The sandpaper trust.  
The sash, door and blind trust.  
The saw trust.  
The school book trust.  
The school furniture trust.  
The sewer pipe trust.  
The shot and lead trust.  
The skewer trust.  
The smelters trust.  
The snail trust.  
The soap trust.  
The soda water machinery trust.  
The spool, bobbin and shuttle trust.  
The sponge trust.  
The starch trust.  
The merchant steel trust.  
The steel rail trust.  
The store board trust.  
The straw board trust.  
The structural steel trust.  
The sugar trust.  
The teazel trust.  
The tinned plate trust.  
The tombstone trust.  
The trunk trust.  
The tube trust.  
The type trust.  
The umbrella trust.  
The vapor stove trust.  
The wall paper trust.  
The watch trust.  
The wheel trust.  
The whip trust.  
The window glass trust.  
The wire trust.  
The wood screw trust.  
The wood hat trust.  
The wrapping paper trusts.  
The yellow pine trust.

These are not all the trusts in the country by any means. They are merely the list of one hundred prepared by Congressman Warner for the New York World, and cited by Senator Vest in his crushing reply of June 28 to Senator Hale's resolution extolling the effects of protection on industry and wages. Every one of the hundred is the result of a tariff—a creature of McKinleyism. Under a tariff for revenue only these trusts would be broken, domestic competition compelled, more goods produced, more men employed and higher wages paid. To quote Congressman Warner, who considers each of the trusts in detail, showing the amount of the tariff tax and how it protects the trusts in their plunder of the people:

First—These combines, covering as they do many great branches of protected manufacture, and affecting many others, raise the price of manufactured goods, so that the consumer gets less for the same amount of money. It is generally the case also that a large proportion of the concerns which have combined together are those which can not manufacture the manufactured goods as economically as the others. The ordinary course has been to pay such a certain price for remaining idle, leaving all of the product to be made at manufacturing which can produce it most cheaply. While, instead of returning this benefit in cheaper goods to the public and to wage earners in other industries, the combine keeps up the price not merely to afford exorbitant profit to the plants still kept at work, but to pay to the idle manufacturing the bonus agreed upon for their remaining non-productive.

Second—The object of a trust combine is to make large profits on a limited product. If successful, therefore, the members of a trust make up by the high rate of their profits for the smallness of their sales; and they are, therefore, just as well off as though by selling goods more cheaply they made larger sales. It is the amount of goods to be manufactured and not the profit that the employer is to make out of each item that determines the demand for labor and wages he must pay. A trust combine in a protected industry is, therefore, an arrangement by which, government keeping out foreign competition, our manufacturers take advantage of this fact, and making our people pay enough more for the few goods they are able to buy, keep profits as large as they would have been from larger sales at a more reasonable price, though they employ less labor and at lower wages than otherwise. Trusts, therefore, enable manufacturers to make the most money by employing the least labor.

Third—The more closely organized the combine of employers in any one industry the better able are they to conquer their laborers in disputes as to wages or hours. Of course, employers could organize for this purpose even though not for the other. Late experience, however, has shown, as might have been expected, that combines originally formed to increase the price of goods or restrict production have been the most frequent foundation of a combine successfully to cope with labor organizations.

McKinleyism is the parent of these trusts. McKinleyism must go.

### Won with the Negro Votes.

For the benefit of the Republican papers in Indiana that have been trying to show that Harrison was not nominated by the negro delegates of the south, the following extract from The Freeman, the organ of the negro race in Indiana, is reproduced. The Freeman is published at Indianapolis by Barber Knox who was a delegate-at-large from Indiana to the Minneapolis convention. As Mr. Knox is a prominent colored man and was at Minneapolis in the interest of Harrison there is no doubt that what he says in his own paper is true. Here is what The Freeman in a recent issue said:

From some figures as to the attendance at the Minneapolis convention, it is ascertained that there were 130 colored delegates at the convention at Minneapolis. These voted almost solidly for Harrison, and it is seen that he owes to their loyalty his re-nomination. They refused steadily to be bought over to the standard of any other candidate, and stood firmly for the chief executive. Such action can not fail to reward, and President Harrison in the event of his re-election, must not fail of reward these men whose conduct was noble and above suspicion. Without their votes he would not have been selected, and considering the question in this light we can see just what power the colored delegates possessed. They controlled things and

there is no doubt that they used their weighty influence to the best advantage.

Senator Walcott, of Colorado, got up in the Minneapolis convention and exhibited a list of 142 delegates which he denounced as officeholders. As no one denied the statement, Walcott was no doubt accurate. Adding these 142 office holders to the 120 negroes we have 262 delegates, which if subtracted from 499, the number of votes necessary to nominate, leaves 237 Harrison delegates out of 999 which the convention contained. This shows exclusively that without the negro delegates of the south and the office holders of the north, Mr. Harrison would have received only 23 per cent. of the votes of the convention.

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Blankets valued at 40c per lb or less, per lb.	22	35
Blankets valued at 50c per lb or less, per lb.	33	35
Boots and shoes, leather.	25	35
Boots and shoes, rubber.	25	35
Buttons, agate.	25	35
Buttons, ivory, vegetable ivory, bone or horn.	50	50
Buttons, pearl or shell, per line button measure, per gross.	2 1/2	25
(A line button measure, is 1-40 of an inch.)		
Braces, suspenders, etc.	50	50
Borax, per lb.	5	5
Brooms and brushes.	40	40
Castor oil, per gal.	80	80
Chalk, colored or prepared.	20	20
Cheese, per lb.	14	40
Carpets, two-ply ingrain.	60	60
Cloaks, woolen.	40	60
Cocoa matting, per sq. yd.	12	50
Clothing, ready made, cotton.	50	50
Clothing, ready made, woolen.	40	60
per lb.	40	60
Corduroy, per sq. yd.	14	30
Cotton hose, per doz.	50	30
Cloth, common, per sq. yd.	4 1/2	50
Hankerschiefs.	50	50
Dress goods, worsted, valued at 15c per yd and less, per yd.	7	40
Earthenware, common brown.	25	25
Earthenware, plain white porcelain.	55	55
Embroidery, cotton.	60	60
Eye glasses, per lb.	6-10	60
Fence wire, per lb.	8	8
Fish, salted or smoked, per lb.	35	8
Fur hats.	55	55
Glassware, pressed.	60	60
Gloves, leather, per doz.	1 00	50
Gloves, ladies, kid, per doz.	3 25	50
Horse shoe nails, per lb.	4	50
Pocket knives, per doz.	12 1/2	50
Lined oil, per gal.	32	50
Plush, wool.	60	60
Price envelopes, per thousand.	25	25
Rice, cleaned, per lb.	2	2
Women's hats.	55	55
Average on forty-three articles ad valorem duty.	92	92

<b>Luxuries Used by the Wealthy:</b>		
Axminster, Wilton and Saxony carpets, per sq. yd.	60	40
Diamonds, dressed.	10	10
Hatter's plush, silks.	10	10
Demijohns, per lb.	1	1
Mohair cloth.	15	15
Photographs.	25	25
Precious stones, all kinds.	10	10
Pearls.	10	10
Oil paintings.	15	15
Stained glass.	45	45
Watches, or parts of watches.	25	25
Water colors.	15	15
Steel engravings.	25	25
Average on thirteen articles ad valorem duty.	23	23

### The Poor Man's Free List.

Acorns.	
Asafetida.	
Ashes.	
Beeswax.	
Bones.	
Catgut.	
Dandelion roots.	
Dried blood.	
Fish for bait.	
Glass, broken, and old glass.	
Grease.	
Horns.	
Ipecac.	
Joss sticks.	
Leeches.	
Old junk.	
Rags, n. o. p.	
Sauer kraut.	
Salted guts.	
Snails.	
Tobacco stems.	
Vaccine virus.	
Yams.	

### The Rich Man's Free List.

Alabaster statuary.	
Bronze.	
Books, in other than the English language.	
Brazilian pebbles.	
Cabinet woods, mahogany, rosewoods, etc.	
Diamonds uncut.	
Fossils.	
Furs, undressed.	
Fashion plates.	
Meershaum.	
Musk.	
Mother of pearl.	
Olives.	
Orchids.	
Shells of all kinds.	
Turtles.	
Wearing apparel of persons arriving in the United States or of citizens of the United States returning from Europe.	

The protection crowd try to make the public believe that a high tariff can do wonders. It is claimed that protection increases wages and at the same time lessens the cost of the manufactured article to the consumer. In other words, the greater the cost of production the less the cost to the consumer—a thing impossible and not in accordance with the facts.—Muncie Herald.

The protective tariff guns which were fired at Homestead, were heard all over the United States. The sound will continue to reverberate until the 8th of November. After the noise of this great conflict passes away, the slain and crippled Republican office seekers will be found to exceed the slain of the Battle of the Wilderness.—Columbus Herald.

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THE Banner-Times does not seem to be anxious to cleanse our city of gambling. Is it possible that the editorial columns of the B-T. is whacking with the gambling interests?

THE Republican campaign managers are "frying the fat" out of the federal office holders and owners of protected infant industries in a very industrious manner, this early in the campaign. What will the harvest be—how many millions for a corruption fund?

WHEAT selling at 70 cents a bushel—the McKinley tariff is 25 cents a bushel—the Republicans said that Protection would increase the price of wheat—the price of wheat has declined. How does the Republican Protection plan benefit the farmers? It does not benefit them; on the contrary, it injures them.

THE McKinley Bill is law, and the people are all, if Republicans are to be believed, under the fostering care of Protection. Notwithstanding all this the price of wheat, corn, hay, wool, hogs and cattle has declined largely. The benefit of Protection to farmers is of a kind not easily discovered, but its harmful effect is plain as plain can be.

THE Banner-Times never mentions the fact now-a-days that the Republicans in the Indiana Legislature opposed the new school book law and the Australian ballot laws, both of which were passed by Democratic Legislatures.

THE best exhibition of cheek yet shown during this campaign is the assertion made in Republican circles that even if Indiana is lost, the Republicans are sure to carry Missouri. Missouri's experience under a Republican administration are a sufficient answer to this idiotic Republican assumption.

REPUBLICANS in Congress are now asserting that high tariff taxation cheapens everything. Two years ago they asserted that a high tariff increased prices, but it made no difference to us as the foreigners paid the tax. The Republican tariff orator has his tongue hung on a pivot so that it may wag in unison with the ideas of his hearers—as to the truth or falsity of what he says, conscience does not seem to trouble him.

THE desertions from the Republican party in Indiana are not all to the Democratic party; many Republicans who have met with a change of heart have joined the Prohibition ranks. A notable one of this class is H. B. Saylor, of Huntington, heretofore a Republican leader; he could not remain with a party that while making great pretenses secretly allows the State Liquor League to manage and manipulate its campaigns through the State Central Committee.

THE Force Bill advocated by Harrison and his administration, and made by part of the Republican platform the Minneapolis convention, is intended to be far reaching in its effects. People of Indiana, at least some of them, seem to think it is intended only to be operative in the South—this is a mistake. Should the proposed Force Bill become law during a Republican administration, the Republican party could continue itself in power for all time to come; elections would be under federal control, and ballots would be deposited or counted to suit the will and pleasure of the hirelings of the administration, backed by federal bayonets. The Force Bill is a subject for serious thought.

WE note additional facts in regard to the so-called comparison of county expenses published in the Banner-Times last week. The comparison therein made is between the years 1884 and 1892, and the conditions are entirely different. Adding to the answer already given it is well to remember that the real estate was assessed in 1892, thereby making the cost of assessment double that of 1884, when there was no assessment of real estate. Again in the expense account of 1892 is shown two items handed down from the business of near twenty years ago—it is the deficiency in school fund interest and collections by attorney general, amounting in the aggregate to over \$1,400, for which the county business of 1891-2 is not at all responsible. The Banner-Times man should cultivate knowledge on the subject of taxation, and honesty in discussing it—the article of last week discloses lack of both these most desirable qualities.

PROTECTIVE tariff on wheat, 25 cts. a bushel. Wheat is worth in the market, 70 cts. a bushel. Whew?

THE Banner-Times should give its readers the news—it has failed to note the fact that General D. E. Williamson, of this city, has renounced Republicanism and cast his lot with the Democratic party.

DURING the past week a Congressional Committee has been endeavoring to determine whether it is common for members of Congress to appear on the floor of the House in a drunken condition. We are decidedly of the opinion that to do so would be decidedly common.

THE members of the Republican State Central Committee of Illinois are awake to the condition of things and their theory is to change it by the use of currency. They have sent out a circular to the faithful, headed "Illinois is in Danger," and the burden of the appeal under this heading is a request for campaign funds and the application of machine methods by the "fine workers" over the State. In reality, we do not think there is any danger in Illinois—we feel that it will count on Democratic after the polls are closed next November.

FROM Washington City comes a special saying: From a Democratic standpoint everything looks extremely cheerful along the whole political line. The reports here from New York indicate perfect unanimity along the Democratic lines in that State, and pledges are daily sent out from the Empire State that it is merely a question of majority with Cleveland. It is known that Tom Platt advised a friend of his, who is engaged in the batting business, a few days ago, that it would be safe for him to bet, if he could get odds, that Cleveland's majority in New York would exceed 50,000. The New York Democrats seem to have no doubt at all of their success, and they unqualifiedly advise every man who confers with them to bet that Cleveland will carry the State. Pennsylvania Democrats who have within the last 24 hours conferred with Mr. Harrity declare that the chairman of the National Committee is so well assured of success that he feels particularly honored in being made chairman of the National Committee in a winning campaign. Mr. Harrity says that Mr. Whitney is going to take personal charge of the campaign work in New York State and will have associated with him Messrs. Croker, Murphy and Sheehan. Senator Hill has already notified the New York State Committee that he will be at the service of the party any time after the 1st of September. From Indiana reports equally as cheering are received here, and Colonel Dudley, who marshaled the "blocks of five" with such infinite skill in that State in 1888, said a few days ago, in response to a question by a friend, that it would be "safe to put up a little money that Harrison cannot carry Indiana this time. Betting is a bad business anyhow, and I would advise you not to bet that Indiana is going Republican this year." The Indiana Democrats who have looked over the field smile at the suggestion of the State going Republican, and make claims that there will be 25,000 majority for Cleveland and Stevenson in November.

**Reelsville.**  
Died, on July 28, 1892, at Terre Haute, of sunstroke, Elijah Vickers, an old and well respected citizen of this township; he resided 3 miles west of Reelsville for over 40 years; deceased was a conscientious member of the M. E. Church; he was buried at Croy's Creek on Saturday last; deceased was 80 years of age and leaves a large family of grown children..... Jackson Poff is having a \$600 monument put up at his wife's grave at the Boone Cemetery..... Link Jones says: Talk about your coon hunts and People's party, but mine is a new baby boy and a sound Democrat..... There will be an all day meeting at Canaan on Sunday next, conducted by Elder Strain..... Married, on July 31, by Squire M. B. Girton, while seated in the buggy in front of his residence, Charles Shinn and Flora Rogers—may they live long and prosper..... The steam shovel is scooping up the dirt in Collier's cut..... Harvest about finished in good shape..... Corn is in good condition..... Democrats increasing and general prosperity promised..... Mr. H. B. Pickett continues seriously sick..... Section men are still out on a strike. J. I. C.

**Indianapolis Live Stock Market.**  
CATTLE—Receipts, 75. Market slow. Export grades..... \$1 55/64 75 Good to choice shipping..... 4 00/64 25 Cows to medium sheep..... 3 00/64 25 Stockers and feeders..... 2 25/64 75 Good to choice heifers..... 2 50/64 50 Fair to medium heifers..... 2 25/64 50 Good to choice cows..... 2 50/64 25 Fair to medium cows..... 2 25/64 50 Fancy export bulls..... 2 75/64 25 SHEEP—Receipts, 100. Market steady. Choice sheep..... 4 25/64 50 Fair to medium sheep..... 3 75/64 25 Choice lambs..... 5 00/64 50 HOGS—Receipts, 6,000. Market slow. Choice heavy shipping..... \$5 75/64 80 Fair to mixed packing..... 5 50/64 80 Choice lights..... 5 75/64 80 Common lights..... 5 25/64 65

**Monon Excursions.**  
To Battle Ground, Ind., account Camp Meeting, Aug. 10 to 29, round trip, \$1.35.  
To Denver, Col., and Helena, Mont., account Knights Templar Excursion, Aug. 2 to 7, at a very low rate, tickets good returning until Oct. 11, 1892. J. A. MICHAEL, Agt.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

Work of the Lawmakers at the National Capital.

A Daily Summary of the Proceedings in the Senate and House—The Fifty-Second Congress is Nearing Its End.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—In the senate yesterday a motion favorable to the anti-option bill was passed and the house resolution for final adjournment was referred to the appropriation committee. An eight-hour law as to public works of the United States and of the District of Columbia was passed.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Discussion of the Hale resolution as to the relative merits of the republican policy of "protection" and the democratic policy of "tariff for revenue only" occupied the entire day in the senate yesterday.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—In the senate on Saturday the anti-option bill went over until the next session in December. A bill was passed appropriating \$1,000 to mark by a suitable column the birthplace of James Madison, fourth president of the United States, near Fort Conway, Va.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The house proposition to continue existing appropriations for four days longer was agreed to in the senate yesterday. Speeches on the tariff question were made by Senator Hawley and Senator Hiseock, who advocated and defended the policy of protection.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—In the senate yesterday a resolution was adopted to appoint a select committee of seven to investigate and report the facts in relation to the employment of armed bodies for private purposes.

HOUSE.  
WASHINGTON, July 29.—In the house yesterday a favorable report was made on a bill appropriating \$50,000 for the relief of the southern flood sufferers. Filibustering tactics were pursued to defeat the world's fair appropriation and a motion to adjourn sine die on the 30th was passed.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Filibustering over the world's fair amendment occupied most of the time in the house yesterday and no action was taken.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—No progress was made with the world's fair matter in the house on Saturday, and an adjournment was taken out of respect to the memory of Representative Craig.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—In the house yesterday the senate bill was passed changing the date of the dedication of the World's Columbian exposition buildings from October 12 to October 21. The resolution extending the sundry civil appropriations bill till the 4th was also passed. In caucus it was resolved to postpone the entire world's fair question until December 7 next.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Another deadlock day was passed in the house yesterday. A resolution revoking all leaves of absences—even those granted on account of sickness—was adopted, and the sergeant at arms was directed, personally, if need be, to enforce the attendance of absentees.

## TO BE PROLONGED.

Homestead Workmen Hold a Monster Meeting and Decide to Hold Fast.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 3.—The thirtieth day of the strike closed Tuesday evening with both sides claiming victory. A monster meeting was held in the opera house here, at which all day laborers were induced to be present. An important feature of the meeting was the report of a committee which went through the mills. A committee of eight Amalgamated association men at noon called upon Superintendent Potter and told him of the meeting and how they would like to see if the mill was really being operated as was claimed by the firm. The committee did not think the management would entertain their request, but Mr. Potter cheerfully agreed to take four members through the mill, and he did. The committee reported that the firm had a large number of men working and a few experienced rollers who turned out two or three plates a day. The great number of men, however, were unskilled and useless. The committee found no cause for discouragement. The report was really a surprise to the men, who would not accept press statements. The Amalgamated officials rallied them immediately, however, and the meeting adjourned with a unanimous sentiment in favor of prolonging the struggle.

## A MICHIGAN TRAGEDY.

Judd Fosdyk, a Jealous Saginaw Husband, Kills His Wife and Himself.

SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 3.—Shortly after noon Tuesday Judd Fosdyk, driver of a delivery wagon living in a tenement house on Lapeer street, shot and instantly killed his wife. Fosdyk then ran into the woodshed and fired two bullets into his own head, dying shortly after. He had made a futile attempt to kill his mother. Jealousy is supposed to be the cause of the crime.

## Scores Shot Down.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—Advices received here from Ashkend, a town of Asiatic Russia, say that the Sarts claimed the Russian doctors were poisoning the people afflicted with cholera and instituted riots, killing the governor general. Troops were called out and many killed and wounded before the zealots were subdued.

## Six Boys Drowned.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 1.—Kelley, Claude, Walter and Charles Forney, aged respectively 15, 13, 11 and 9 years, and Alvin and Winther Brock, aged 16 and 12 years, were drowned yesterday near Arlin by the upsetting of a boat on the river.

## Coinage in July.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Coinage was executed at United States mints during July as follows: Gold, 85,000 pieces of the value of \$1,440,000; silver, 1,043,000 pieces of the value of \$559,000; minor coins, 1,900,000 pieces of the value of \$19,000.

# To a Sweltering But Generous Public

Never before in the history of our business have we met with a more generous response to our advertisement than at this time. We are doing our best to meet the expectations of our friends, and if one has come to our store and gone away disappointed we do not know of it. Our aim has been and is now not to deceive you but to do just as we claim in our advertising.

Once in a while we find some one who says, "I never read advertisements." With all due respect for the other columns of our papers, we think you might spend less profitable time on other columns than in this corner reserved for us.

Our Prices will continue just as quoted last week until further notice. Come to us for any present needs, and if you will anticipate we will give you bargains in Fall Stuffs.

## Table Linens, Napkins, Dress Goods,

Blankets, Yarns, Flannels, Jeans, Shirts.

In fact our entire stock is for you at materially reduced prices.

# ALLEN BROTHERS

Are Hot, But Not Asleep.

## YOUR FIRST OPPORTUNITY.

You have attended clearance sales advertised by other houses, but this is the first opportunity you have had to attend a regular clearance sale at the Lion Store. People who have been dealing with us know how much lower our prices are than regular prices named by other houses. Our clearance sale prices are such that you can not afford to pass them by without buying. We are expecting an immense fall trade and are preparing to receive our fall goods, hence the prices and inducements below:

## TENNIS SHOES.

Boston Rubber Patent Perforated Bottoms.  
Men's \$1.00 now.....70c  
Boy's 90c now.....60c  
Misses' 90c now.....60c  
Children's 75c now.....50c  
Men's 75c now.....40c  
Boys' 50c now.....31c  
Children's 50c now.....30c  
Base Ball Shoes, \$1.00, now.....70c  
" 90c, now.....60c  
Bicycle Shoes, \$1.25, now.....90c

## JEWELRY.

50 pairs Rolled Gold Plate Cuff Buttons.  
\$1.00 " now.....50c  
.75 " ".....40c

Do not let your chances like sunbeams pass you by.

## SILK MITTS.

Very long back English Silk, 60c, now.....33c  
Pure Milanese Silk, 65c, now.....40c  
Tan English " 50c, ".....32c  
Slate " 40c, ".....27c  
Tan Fancy Knit " 45c, ".....25c  
White English " 35c, ".....22c  
Slate " 25c, ".....18c  
Silk Gloves, 35c, ".....23c

Getting ready for Fall trade.

## LACES.

Fancy Embroidered Chiffon, 80c, now 62c  
" " 50c, " 38c  
" " 25c, " 18c  
" " 35c, " 23c  
" " Black " 40c, " 25c  
Point de Ireland.....50c, " 35c  
" " 40c, " 25c  
" " 25c, " 18c

Getting ready for Fall trade.

## GINGHAM.

20c now.....12c

There is a time in the affairs of men when taken at the flood leads on to fortune.

## THREAD.

8 spools Clark's Thread.....25c  
\$1.00 Misses' Corsets.....25c  
The best dollar Corset on the market, entirely new, cant break stays.

## SHIRTS.

Another lot of those splendid unlaundered shirts at 38c; worth 60c. That is what we are doing, getting ready for Fall trade.

## HATS.

Men's Stiff Fur Hats, \$2.50, now \$1.25  
" Wide Brim Soft Fur Hats, \$2.50, now 1.25  
" Medium Brim Soft Fur Hats \$1.50, now .85  
Wool Hats.....20c and .25  
We will not be flagged in this race. We are getting ready for Fall trade.

## THE LION STORE.

N. W. Cor. Square, Greencastle, Ind. S. H. VANSANT, Proprietor.



Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

CANNED AND DRIED FRUITS

Cranberries, Fresh Cracked

Wheat,

Oat Meal,

Dried Vegetables,

Just received.

Our stock of coffees was never larger. We are roasting the best coffees ever brought to Greencastle. There is no mistake about it. Try us and be convinced.

L. WEIK & CO.  
GROCER & BAKER.

## Money Loaned!

In any sum, for any time. Must see the borrower in person. No delay. Money furnished at once at the very lowest rates.

G. E. BLAKE,  
Insurance and Loan Agent,  
GREENCASTLE, IND.

South Washington.

Hay harvest done—there is an immense crop—John and Frances Neese went to Brazil last week. James Neese and family visited Polly Neese on Sunday. Ben Nier and wife visited relatives in Owen county on Saturday and Sunday. George Vann and family, of Brazil, have been visiting relatives here the past two weeks. Miss Zora Craft visited Robert Evans on Sunday. D. M. Senter and family visited his wife's mother on Sunday. Miss Annie Dunn was struck one day last week. William Evans' baby has been sick. Miss Ida Neese, of Greencastle, visited her mother last week.

Obituary.

On June 24, 1892, Mrs. Mary Kent died of paralysis, aged 67 years, 10 months and 20 days.

Dearest sister thou has left us. Here thy loss we deeply feel. But 'tis God that hath bereft us. He can all our sorrows heal. Yet again we hope to meet thee When the day of life is dead. Then in heaven with joy to greet thee Where no farewell tear is shed.

BROTHER.

Fincastle.

Miss Ida Bateman and daughter, Mabel, of Ludoga, are visiting John Bridges' family. Misses Ella King, Katie Tapp, Messrs. James Hymer, Will Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gill, and Mr. and Mrs. Rhoades camped at Garland, Del., last week. Kate Walsh is attending institute at Plainfield this week. Clay Bowers and John Wilson spent last week at Niagara Falls. A large crowd at the resort Sunday. Services by Rev. M. L. Pope. Mrs. Wendling and Rette, of New Marysville, visited Samuel Gardner's. Albert Edwards, Will Walsh and Crit Williams start to the fair this week with their horses. Perry goes to Paris, Ill., and Fleet and Braden W. to North Salem. Miss Nellie Lovett is taking guitar lessons at Greencastle.

## AGONIZING ECZEMA

Awful Suffering. Driven Almost Insane by Doctors. Tried Cuticura. Relief Immediate. Entirely Cured in 4 Months.

I suffered with the dreadful eczema for over six months, during which time I had consulted three doctors, and this tormenting skin disease had grown worse and worse on me in spite of all medical treatment. My condition was unbearable. My legs were swollen, my arms were raw, my face and neck full of eruptions, which made me scratch until my whickers were soaked and pasted with the sticky fluid. I could hardly bear my clothing. When night came I was afraid to go to bed, no sleep would increase. During day time I had no rest, I was all broken up, nervous to the highest degree, and nearly driven to despair. At that time I read about the CUTICURA REMEDIES, intended to try them, and dropped the doctors. After applying CUTICURA I had the first night's rest for several weeks. Using the CUTICURA, CUTICURA SOAP, and CUTICURA RUBBER, with proper judgment, my condition improved slowly but surely day by day, until after three to four months' use of them I was cured. My minister, Rev. J. G. Perrault, in Mandan, knows me and knows how I suffered. My only wish was to write to him and he will certify to the truth of the statement.

E. R. STEINBEUECK, Mandan, North Dakota.

## Cuticura Resolvent

The new Blood and Skin Purifier and greatest of Humors Remedies, internally, cleanses the blood of all impurities and poisonous elements, while CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Purifier and Beautifier, externally, clear the skin of every trace of disease.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 50c.; SOAP, 25c.; RESOLVENT, \$1. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

"How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and testimonials, mailed free.

PLES, blackheads, red, rough, chapped, and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

## HOW MY BACK ACHES!

Back Ache, Kidney Pains, and Weakness, Soreness, Lameness, Strains, and Pain relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster.

## DIED BY WIRE.

Joseph Woods Put to Death in the Clinton (N. Y.) Prison.

His Death Was Apparently Painless, Although the Flesh Was Burned Somewhat—His Last Words—The Crime.

ELECTROCUTED.

DANMORA, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Murderer Joseph Woods was executed in the state prison here Tuesday. The death warrant was read at 10:30 and the death chamber entered at 11:44 o'clock. The condemned man's face was pale, and there was the slightest tremor about the visibly cool, compressed lips, but he exhibited no outward sign of emotion. When he reached the chair the keepers stepped to one side, and without hesitation the prisoner said:

"I want to thank Warden Thayer for his great kindness to me. Also my keepers. My time on earth is not long enough to return my thanks to Judge Whitman for his noble efforts. He has been nearer than a brother to me, and I hope he will live a long life and die happy in the Lord."

The religious feeling of the doomed man found expression in these words: "I pray that God will now give me the strength of two men to go to meet Him, for I know I am going there. God bless you all. May He make you all happy." His last words were: "God bless me."

The signal was given by Keeper Welts, of Auburn prison. As the contact came Woods' body straightened out rigidly and the hands turned upward on the arms of the chair. Twelve seconds was the duration of the first contact. The second contact was two seconds shorter, and as it reached full power a curl of blue smoke arose from the murderer's forehead and an odor of burned rubber filled the room. This was repeated in the third and fourth contacts of six seconds each. Each time Woods' body straightened out. This was followed by a relaxation as the current was shut off. Woods was in the chair just one minute and four seconds. The body was delivered to Woods' wife.

Wood was convicted of murdering his father-in-law, Leander Pasco, a farmer of Warren county, May 10, 1890. The defendant pleaded not guilty, alleging temporary insanity. The successive courts adjudged him guilty and Gov. Flower refused to interfere. On March 2, previous to the crime, Wood had secretly married Pasco's daughter. Immediately after the marriage they separated, each returning to their own home. Pasco, who was very severe with his children, was displeased with the marriage and would not recognize Wood. About a month later Wood told a neighbor that Pasco, who was then living with his housekeeper, "ought to be put out of the way so the children could have the property." After Wood and his wife went to live together they were subjected to some petty annoyances which they charged to Pasco. Wood sought to get a warrant out for his arrest, but being denied uttered more threats. About three weeks later Pasco was murdered by two gunshots. It was satisfactorily proved that Wood had laid in ambush for his father-in-law.

## MICHIGAN PEOPLE'S PARTY.

John W. Ewing Nominated for Governor—The Platform.

JACKSON, Mich., Aug. 3.—The people's party assembled in convention here Tuesday to nominate a United States senator and full state ticket from governor down. John W. Ewing, of Grand Ledge, was nominated for governor, defeating Hon. A. E. Cole, president of the State Farmers' Alliance, and Hon. George F. Richardson, leader of the people's party in the last legislature. The other nominations made were: Lieutenant governor, Dr. George H. Sherman, of Wayne; secretary of state, Frank M. Vandercook, of Gratiot; state treasurer, Joseph H. Welton, of Kent; auditor general, Clinton Peck, of Lapeer; superintendent of public instruction, O. M. Graves, of Emmet; for land commissioner, William L. Layden, of Houghton; member of state board of equalization, W. H. Clute, of Bay City. Eugene H. Belden was selected as the nominee of the people's party for United States senator.

Among other things demanded in the state platform are these: The absolute and continued separation of church and state; that there shall be no appropriation of either state or municipal funds or property to any religious, sectarian or political institutions; that all schools for the general education of the young shall be under the supervision and inspection of the state. The platform also comes out for equal suffrage.

## TO BEAT THE BANKS.

The Ingenious Plot of Four Young Chicagoans Unearthed.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The discharge of George Bartels, paying teller of the Central trust and savings bank, and his subsequent flight with \$8,000 of the firm's cash, has unearthed a gigantic conspiracy to defraud five Chicago banks. The scheme was partly successful, and over \$50,000 was secured from Bartel's former employers, but was made good by reputable men who had vouched for the integrity and business ability of the young men who had engaged in the deal. Another bank is said to have lost \$20,000, which amount was also made good by the same security.

Three of the men formerly connected with the Chicago Bank Note Company have been arrested, charged with conspiracy to defraud and the issuance of fraudulent paper. These men are William A. Forbes, N. W. Burnside and Charles M. Anson. George Bartels, the fourth man who is wanted, has left the country. Charles Nichols, a go-between, has made affidavit exposing the whole scheme as far as it is known to him. The plot is the most ingenious ever hatched in the financial arena of this city.

## Death of an Ex-Senator.

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 1.—Anthony Kennedy, the only man ever elected to the United States senate as a know-nothing, died here Sunday. He was 81 years old.

## An Editor Drops Dead.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 1.—Rudolph Bartling, editor of the Toledo Express, the German daily, dropped dead at his desk about 1 o'clock Saturday.

## WATSON'S CHARGES.

The Third Party Leader Creates a Sensation in the House.

In a Campaign Pamphlet He Accuses Members of Drunkenness on the Floor, and Emphatically Refuses to Retract.

WORRIED BY WATSON.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The special committee of the house to investigate Mr. Watson's charges that members were drunk during debate began taking testimony Saturday. Mr. Watson testified that he had seen two members reeling in the aisles during debate on the silver bill. He had seen a member drunk while talking on the Noyes-Rockwell election case.

Mr. Boatner said he did not notice anything of the kind. Messrs. Otis, White, Halverson, Butler and Clover said they had seen members intoxicated on the floor, and Miss Bessie A. Dwyer, reporter for the National Economist, testified that she noticed the speaker in the Noyes-Rockwell debate drunk, as described by Mr. Watson.

Mr. Watson interrupted and asked to be allowed to prove that there was a barroom in the basement and members were often seen drinking there. This was ruled out.

Representative Oates, of Alabama, was the next witness. During his testimony it developed that Representative Cobb, of Alabama, was the person who had made the speech in the contested election case and who was the person charged with intoxication by Representative Watson.

Mr. Oates said that while Mr. Cobb was speaking he appeared greatly exhausted, and some one sent him something to drink. The stimulant, he observed, had some effect on Mr. Cobb, enlivening his manner. Witness declared, however, that Mr. Cobb was not drunk. He had known him for twenty-seven years and never knew him to be drunk, although he took a drink sometimes. Adjourned.

The book which contains the extract objected to and which gave rise to the sensational scenes in the house is a people's party book entitled "Not a Revolt: It Is a Revolution," edited by Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia.

"There is nothing more singular than the infatuation of a system which has been weighed and found wanting, and over which hangs the sentence of doom. Belshazzar is repeated at every epoch, and wherever the mad king reaches his last evening on earth his feast is certain to be had. Rev. and wine and music within; the tread of Cyrus and his Persians without. The pampered aristocrats will listen to no warning until Daniel strides into the hall and the laugh of the voluptuary freezes on the lips of the quaking crowd."

"The congress now sitting is one illustration. Pledged to reform, they have not reformed. Pledged to economy, they have not legislated. Extravagance has been the order of the day. Absenteeism was never so pronounced. Lack of purpose was never so clear. Lack of common business prudence never more glaring. Drunken members have reeled about the aisles—a disgrace to the republic. Drunken speakers have debated grave issues on the floor, and in the midst of mad rantings have been heard to ask: 'Mr. Speaker, where was I at? Was I at?' Useless expenditures pervade every department."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The special committee of the house continued its investigation of the charges made by Representative Watson (Ga.) that members had been seen on the floor of the house to stagger and reel from drunkenness. Among the witnesses were ex-Gov. Patterson (Tenn.), Mr. Bynum (Ind.), Gen. Meyer (La.), Gen. Wise (La.), clerk to the committee on interstate commerce, and W. P. Hepburn, solicitor of the treasury. The drift of their testimony was to the effect that Judge Cobb (Ala.), against whom the charge had been made that he was drunk while delivering a speech on the Noyes-Rockwell contested election case, was not under the influence of liquor, but being of a nervous temperament and exhausted by his long argument, together with being frequently interrupted, became somewhat mixed toward the end of his speech. All denied that he was drunk. Mr. Watson made a statement to the effect that he was satisfied with the investigation, as it had proved that his charges were true, and said that he did not intend to make the charge generally against the house, but only against individuals.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Mr. Cobb took the stand in his own defense yesterday before the committee investigating the Watson charges and denied that he had ever been drunk on the floor of the house. After a sharp colloquy between Mr. Boatner and Mr. Watson, during which the latter, though expressing his admiration for Mr. Cobb, reiterated the statement that he believed he was intoxicated on the occasion mentioned, the committee adjourned.

## New Series of Postage Stamps.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The Metropolitan Philatelist, in its next issue, will announce that the postmaster general has adopted the designs for a new series of postage stamps, to be issued in commemoration of the discovery of America. The issue will include all values and will bear designs of a historic character, each representing some incident in the life of Columbus or picturing something appropriate to its purpose.

## Ten Thousand Perished.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 1.—Latest reports from the Great Saigir islands in the China sea show that the volcanic eruption of Gunong Aroo June 7 was the most destructive of modern times; Ten thousand people are believed to have been buried in the ashes and lava.

## The National Debt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The public debt statement issued yesterday shows the total debt to be \$1,587,054,738; cash in the treasury, \$127,050,286; debt less cash in the treasury, \$840,323,648. Decrease during July \$1,197,815.

## Found Dead in Bed.

SAN MATEO, Cal., Aug. 3.—Richard Tenbroeck, the well-known horseman, was found dead in his bed at his home near here Monday morning. He was over 80 years of age.

## FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

A Synopsis of Important Doings in the Session Drawing to a Close.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The future compiler of the official history of the laws of the United States will not need much space in which to inscribe the really important laws enacted in the first session of the Fifty-second congress, now ready to close as soon as the world's fair matter is out of the way. The session drawing to a close has not been remarkable for its actual accomplishments so far as respects large legislation.

Efforts more or less vigorous have been made to pass through both houses of congress bills dealing with questions that occupy a large share of public attention, but these, with a single exception, have failed of accomplishment. The sole measure of the first class in importance, not counting the appropriation bills which have become a law, is the Chinese exclusion bill, and political expediency had much to do with its rapid congressional progress. This bill, the Human registry bill, the Black Hawk and Seminole Indian wars pension bill, the eight-hour bill, the bill to enable the president to enforce reciprocal canal arrangements with Canada, the army nurse bill, the intermediate pension bill and the bill to increase the pay of life savers are about the only measures of much general interest enacted into law.

Free silver, the tariff, the anti-trust bill, retrenchment of appropriations and a \$5,000,000 loan to the world's fair have been the live topics of the session. The first three subjects have been killed, at least until after the election, while the last is still before congress.

The house passed approximately 475 bills, of which 284 were passed by the senate and sent to the president. Of the bills passed by the house 220 were public bills, including measures relating to the District of Columbia; 151 private pension bills; 48 bills to remove charges of desertion, and 41 private bills of a miscellaneous character.

The senate passed 691 bills, only 113 of which succeeded in running the gauntlet of the house and reaching the president. Two of the latter number the president vetoed, viz., the bill to send the famous McGarran claim to the court of claims for adjudication and a bill to amend the court of appeals act. Three bills the president permitted to become laws without his signature.

The total number of bills and joint resolutions introduced in the house was 9,835, and in the senate 3,604. In the house 2,106 reports were made on bills, and in the senate 1,097 written reports were made, no notice being paid to unwritten reports.

The Behring sea trouble with Great Britain was the ugliest complication the senate had to consider behind closed doors, and a peaceful solution of it was found in its reference to an arbitration commission. The Chilean muddle also occupied some of the senate's attention in executive session.

## BASEBALL.

Standing of the Leading Organizations for the Week Ended July 30.

The following tables show the games lost and won by the clubs of the leading baseball organizations:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Brooklyn.....	9	5	.643
Philadelphia.....	9	5	.643
Cleveland.....	9	5	.643
New York.....	8	5	.615
Boston.....	8	6	.571
Baltimore.....	7	6	.538
Cincinnati.....	7	6	.538
Chicago.....	6	8	.429
Washington.....	6	8	.429
Pittsburgh.....	5	9	.357
Louisville.....	4	10	.286
St. Louis.....	3	10	.231

ILLINOIS-INDIANA LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Rochford.....	19	17	.528
Rock Island-Moline.....	16	15	.516
Joliet.....	17	17	.500
Jacksonville.....	15	18	.455

## THE OLDEST MASON DEAD.

MOUNT VERNON, Ind., Aug. 3.—Yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock the venerable Judge John Pitcher died at his home in this city, aged 98 years. He was probably the oldest mason in America, having been initiated into the order in 1816 as a member of Federal No. 171 at Watertown, Conn. He was an intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln and loaned him the first law books he ever read.

## THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, AUG. 3.

LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	84.00	5.00
Sheep.....	3.75	5.50
Hogs.....	5.25	6.75
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy.....	3.10	4.35
Minnesota Patents.....	3.15	4.45
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	83.50	84.50
Ungraded Red.....	83.00	84.00
CORN—No. 2.....	58.00	59.00
Ungraded Mixed.....	54.00	57.50
OATS—Mixed Western.....	36.00	37.00
RYE—Western.....	72.00	67.50
PORK—Mess.....	12.55	13.25
LARD—Western Steam.....	7.25	7.00
BUTTER—Creamery.....	17.00	18.00

CHICAGO.

BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	53.50	55.00
Cows.....	1.75	3.00
Stockers.....	2.50	3.35
Feeders.....	3.20	3.75
Butcher's Steers.....	3.40	4.00
Bulls.....	2.00	3.25
HOGS—Live.....	5.25	5.90
Butcher's.....	5.30	5.75
Good to Choice Dairy.....	13.00	15.00
EGGS—Fresh.....	14.00	15.50
BROOM CORN.....	54.00	7.00
Self-working.....	41.00	6.00
Crooked.....	2.00	3.50
POTATOES—New (per brl).....	90.00	1.75
PORK—New York.....	12.00	12.15
LARD—Steam.....	7.25	7.00
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	4.10	4.60
Winter Patents.....	4.25	4.40
Bakers' Steers.....	3.00	3.40
GRAIN—Wheat, August.....	80.00	81.50
Corn, No. 2.....	49.00	49.50
Oats, No. 2.....	31.00	31.50
Rye, No. 2.....	57.00	57.50
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## CATTLE—STEERS.

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Ungraded Grads.....	5.40	5.50
SHEEP.....	5.25	5.50

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HOGS.....	5.25	5.50
SHEEP.....	3.50	5.50



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BY "THE DUCHESS."

consistent. "Men's hearts," he added "are not breakable articles; and women

"Have none! Is that it?"  
"I almost think so."  
"For shame! I won't speak to you the rest of the ride."

"You must—in this lane at any rate. Whom else am I to flirt with?"  
"Is flirting a necessity?"

Beauregard burst out laughing.  
"How like a woman! You have broken your resolve almost in the breath with which you uttered it!"

"You are too bad!" cried she, lifting her chin. "You deserve—"

"Your sweetest smile of forgiveness!" said he. The whip fell, and the smile was given.

"But you don't deserve it, though," she said.

"Never mind deserts—the thing is that I have obtained it. Open ground again. Stay! don't give rein; there is a wide, deep gully right across our path; any of the horses can take it—and you among the riders—I know; but not all."

Dallas and Travers knew the place; so did Angela, and could leap it. Beauregard suddenly spurred forward after Valerie and Westbrook, who, hearing the rapid hoof-strokes, turned round, within a hundred paces of the gully, which the latter knew of.

"Let's go for the leap!" exclaimed Valerie, in an unaccountable spirit of mischief; but as the words passed her lips, as she grasped the reins more firmly for the rush, Beauregard was at her side, and his grip on the rein.

"No," he said, quickly, almost sternly, "not that!"

Valerie flashed up at him defiantly.

"Colonel Beauregard," she exclaimed, "I can do that leap!"

"Why, Beau?" cried Lord Westbrook, in a vexed tone. "Miss Herbert could leap that! Zoe—"

"Zoe," said Beauregard, interrupting him, but his hand still on the Arab's bridle, "can leap that, and land five feet on the other side, but I don't want her to send Valerie over her head!"

"But she wouldn't!" said the girl, still defiant. "Look! Angela has gone over, and Mrs. Dudley, splendidly!"

"They rode when they were babies. Forgive me, Westbrook, go on; I will ride round with Valerie."

"No, no!" said the girl; but Lord Westbrook turned his horse, remonstrating no more. Few people ever did remonstrate with Max Beauregard when he gave the word of command.

"I say yes," he answered Valerie, but in a softer tone; but she averted her head to watch Lord Westbrook make the leap as Beauregard turned the unwilling Arab away from the gully. She looked round after a minute's silence, when Colonel Beauregard did not break, but lifted her eyes no higher than his hand.

"You can lose the bridle," she said curtly. "I couldn't escape if I would."

He moved his hand at once.

"I know it," he said, coolly. "And I don't think you would escape if you could. Heaven knows, child, his voice changed utterly—there was deep tenderness—a ring of intense pain in its soft tones—"I don't want to thwart or wound you, though you seem to credit me with the wish; but I was fearful for you just now—too fearful, maybe; yet is that so unpardonable, Valerie?"

But Valerie's dark eyes were blind with tears; how selfish, cruel, ungrateful she had been! and yet, even while she resented his interference because he despised and condemned her, her heart had leaped within her that he had cared so much for her safety. With a choking sob, she stretched out her hand to him.

"Oh, Colonel Beauregard, please forgive me! I ought to be so grateful, and not angry. I don't think you want to thwart me—"

But Max Beauregard clasped the outstretched hand, and pressed his lips to it with a passion that for a moment mastered him.

"Hush," he said; "you try me too much—"

He stopped abruptly, released her hand, and turned away, riding on some paces without a word, fighting a fierce battle with himself. When he looked round again it was with a smile—the old sweet smile, but graver, sadder now—and he spoke very gently and quietly. "Then you forgive me; and I, if you will have it so," for she shook her head at his words, "forgive you; and so—we are quits."

She answered "Yes" very soberly; not that she agreed that he had anything to ask forgiveness for (and he knew she did not), but because she was afraid to disagree. That kiss on her hand was burning into her heart, and making every nerve tremble. She only breathed freely when, putting their horses to the trot, they gained the point where the gully terminated, and joined the other riders.

CHAPTER XXXIX.—A GAME OF CHESS.

Another ten days made Mrs. Langley's hopes in regard to Valerie sink to very few degrees above freezing point. She could do nothing, but rather the contrary. To win Max Beauregard's homage, she was with Lord Westbrook and Major Travers, with the former principally, and left the field entirely open for Lillias Dudley and Angela Musgrave; nor did Colonel Beauregard seek Valerie, that was clear, though even as late Mrs. Langley could not perceive that he avoided the girl. Angela, on the other hand, was not slow to profit by her opportunities, ably assisted by her sister; and Valerie seemed perfectly unmoved, quite willing to allow Angela "a walk over"—a consumption of which, however, Mrs. Langley had no fear. Angela

Musgrave was not a girl Max Beauregard would have selected if Valerie had never been born. But what possessed Valerie to fling away the very opportunity for which she had rejected Aston Lawford?

Mrs. Langley was beginning to grow angry, impatient. Was it possible that Valerie still cherished Louis's memory? Absurd! And yet, she reflected, anything seemed possible with this extraordinary girl.

"I must speak to her!" said Mrs. Langley to herself. "I thought things would right themselves, but it doesn't seem as if they would; and if there is risk in speaking, there is certainty of failure if matters go on as at present. She can't be falling in love with Westbrook; no girl would look at him with Max Beauregard by."

It chanced one morning that, as Mrs. Langley was breakfasting in her dressing-room about eleven o'clock, Valerie, whose shortcomings her aunt was musing

at the moment, came in, after a preliminary tap.

"Aunt Constance," said she, seating herself, not on the couch, but on the head of it, "Lady Elinor wants to know if you would like a drive in the park by-and-by. It is not a bit hot out, even for you!"

"Yes!" said Mrs. Langley. "I should, very much. But what are you doing?"

glancing at an open book in the girl's hand. "And where are all the others?"

Valerie held up the book, laughing.

"Do you see the title?" she said. "Beggar my Neighbor—a lovely novel! I have been ensconced in the library for an hour reading this; and when I leave here I am going on with it. The others—let me see. Oh! Harry Dallas and Amy, they're always together, those two are on the terrace. Westbrook, Travers, Lady Elinor, Mrs. Dudley," counting on her fingers, "are playing lawn-tennis; and Colonel Beauregard is on the terrace (apart from the other two, of course) teaching Angela to play chess. At least, he was half an hour ago."

"And what on earth," said Mrs. Langley, exceedingly annoyed by this last piece of intelligence, "makes you withdraw yourself from all the rest in this way?"

"I wanted to read!" said Valerie, swinging her foot backward and forward. "And one can't read and chatter, too!"

"You don't come to a country-house to sit in the library and read. You, of all people!"

"I, of all people," returned Valerie, coolly, "want a little time to myself now and then. I am bothered to death!"

"The penalty beauty always has to pay, my dear. You certainly," said Mrs. Langley, tartly, "don't seem to find Westbrook disagreeable."

Valerie laughed, but drew in her breath. She knew this was only skirmishing; the attack would come by-and-by.

"I like Westbrook," said she, "he is awful fun; and I can't flirt much with Dallas, because of Amy."

Mrs. Langley sipped her chocolate for a moment in silence; then she asked, abruptly:

"Who proposed the chess, Angela or Beauregard?"

"Angela, I think!" indifferently. "She'll never learn!" added Valerie, with another laugh.

"Nonsense! You don't suppose for an instant that Max Beauregard cares for Angela?"

No, Valerie did not. Somehow, that kiss pressed on her hand, more than a week ago, clung to it still; the thought of it made her heart beat and her veins glow now; yet she answered, carelessly:

"Not now, but he may; and Angela likes him!"

"And pray, Valerie, is it on her account that you do all you can to assure Colonel Beauregard that you are absolutely indifferent to him?"

Valerie looked straight at her aunt; there was a dangerous glitter in her eyes; otherwise, only a little quiver of the nostrils, a settling of the firm lips, nothing more.

Mrs. Langley returned the look for a moment, but it never wavered.

The older lady spoke again:

"Valerie, let us understand each other clearly; am I to suppose that you still have any affection for Louis Charteris?"

"I always had an affection for him!"

"No jesting, Valerie; you know what I mean!"

"I never did love him!" said Valerie, "that was a mistake!"

"Valerie—forgive me—you are answering me truly?"

"Quite truly!" was the quiet reply. "Now may I go back to my book?"

Mrs. Langley paused for a moment, and reflected that it might be wiser to say no more at present. She had ascertained one valuable fact—that Valerie did not care for Louis Charteris. It would be better to leave other matters "to a more convenient season." The girl was certainly difficult; she was an incorrigible coquette, or were there some secret springs of action which she (Mrs. Langley) could not detect? She had thrown over Aston Lawford for Max Beauregard, and now she seemed to cast aside the prize she had played for.

"Yes, you may go now," said Mrs. Langley. "And tell Lady Elinor I shall be very pleased to join her about twelve o'clock."

Valerie went off, with still that light in her eyes; she needed to hear no more to know all that was left unsaid.

She stepped out on the terrace, on her way to the lawn. There were the groups she had left half an hour ago. Dallas and Amy, still walking up and down; Colonel Beauregard and Angela, half in light, half in shadow, the chess-table between them. Max saw Valerie's white-robed figure flitting past, but he did not turn his head from the game, and Angela did not dream how the face he was forced to play against.

"A wrong move!" he said, smiling. "Why, Angela, you are giving the bishop the rook's move!"

"Oh, how stupid!" she exclaimed. "So I am. I shall never learn to play chess."

"You will if you give your attention to it."

Angela glanced at him with a look that half implied: "How can I, when you are my teacher?" But though he saw the look, and read it aright, he did not seem to notice it; but half turned as Valerie, coming back from the lawn, slowly mounted the terrace steps, reading as she moved. A moment he looked at her, the sunlight pouring full on her golden head, the light breeze stirring the bright waves of hair. Then he called her name. She lifted her head and paused.

"Yes!" she said; but Angela's brow clouded.

"Come here!" said Colonel Beauregard; and Valerie sauntered carelessly along the terrace, and stopped by the chess-table.

"I have been trying for the last hour," said Max, "to make Angela understand the moves, and a minute ago she moved a bishop on the square. Will you come and teach her? You are a good player, are you not?"

"A pretty fair one." She had often played chess with Louis, at Welford, and was generally the victor. "But I am quite content to leave Angela to your tender mercies."

"I will be more diligent!" cried Angela. But Beauregard answered Valerie:

"I don't want you to take my place, but Angela's, and show her how to play!"

"Oh, Max!" said Angela, with a pout.

Valerie looked at her, at her book, at Beauregard. Her heart pulled her one way, her fears another. Max, not raising his eyes from the board, said lightly:

"Do not fairies ever play mortal games?"

"What on earth do you mean, Max?" asked Angela, looking in perplexity from him to Valerie; but Valerie's heart leaped with a mingled throbbing of pain and pleasure, and half yielding, she said: "They do sometimes—and they read novels, too!"

But Beauregard saw that he had gained the outskirts, and, soldier-like, carried the citadel by a coup.

"The novel has and its share!" he said, coolly, taking the book from her hand, and closing it; "come and play a game of chess instead!"

"Stand and deliver!" cried Valerie, hiding her embarrassment by a merry laugh. "You are a knight of the road, Colonel Beauregard!"

"I will ask pardon," said he, "when you have scored a victory, or—a second defeat!"

"I haven't admitted a first defeat," said Valerie.

"I can dispense with admissions. Soldiers look at deeds rather than to words. Angela won't mind your taking her place for a little; will you, Angela? It will be a lesson to you to watch the game!"

Angela rose with a tolerable grace.

"You are very kind, Max," she said, "to put up with me so long. I hope I shall do better the next time."

"I am sure you will," he answered, resetting the pieces, while Valerie took the chair vacated by Angela, the latter seating herself on another chair that stood near the table.

The opening moves were just made when Lord Westbrook made his appearance on the terrace, and came up to the table.

"Miss Herbert," he exclaimed, "Lady Elinor has left us to go for a drive. Won't you join us? We are at a standstill."

"I am engaged in another kind of battle," said Valerie, shaking her head. "If I were ubiquitous I would help you."

"Don't let me prevent you," said Beauregard, quickly. "If you prefer the lawn-tennis, we can have the chess-game another time."

"Yes, do come!" urged Lord Westbrook, with an imploring glance at Valerie, which had not the slightest effect.

"No; you must excuse me, please," she said.

The young man's face fell.

"What shall we do then?" he said. "Lady Angela are you afraid of the sun? There is a good deal of shade where we are playing. Do take pity on us!"

Thus adjured, Angela could not well refuse, though she was only made a substitute for Valerie; but then Valerie was a particularly good player, and Lady Angela only an indifferent one.

"I suppose I must," she said, rising, "though I wanted to watch this game."

"Oh, you had much better be a ministering angel!" exclaimed Lord Westbrook; and he carried off in triumph his reluctant captive.

Valerie trembled inwardly when she saw them depart, and was thus left quite alone with Max Beauregard; for even Dallas and Amy Linwood had quitted the terrace, and the chess-players' tete-a-tete was as complete as if they had been in the Abbey's Glen itself. They could not even see or be seen by the players on the lawn, though the voices and laughter of the latter came distinctly to their ears.

How thin was the web that divided them! If only his hand had swept it aside for a moment; if only he had forgotten that she loved the world too well, and remembered nothing but his love for her! But even while he looked at her, and the glamour of her pathetic beauty tempted him almost beyond his strength, the sinister shadow still hovered above her—that thought was ever present:

"Even if she loves me, she loves the world better. If I had remained a poor man she would have been the wife of Aston Lawford. If she cannot stoop to try to win me, she would accept my love if I offered it—now!"

"I don't suppose," said Valerie, as Angela and Lord Westbrook disappeared, "that I have much chance against you, Colonel Beauregard; you are a crack player."

"Who has paid me that high compliment?"

"Three or four people," returned the girl, laughing. "Mr. Dallas for one!"

"Oh, Dallas! He and I used to play often in camp. One night we were deep in a game when there was a call to arms. We left the game unfinished, and after a short skirmish returned. It was a bloodless victory, so far as our own men were concerned, so we finished our game."

"Do you mean that you finished it at once?" asked Valerie, greatly amused.

"Oh! no; duty first, pleasure afterward. But as soon as we had seen to our men, we polished off our game."

"I should have thought you wanted some sleep."

"We hadn't done fighting till three A. M.," replied Beauregard, "and we weren't sleepy. A fine end game, too. No, we had to finish it. Wouldn't you have done the same?"

"I think I should. You won, I suppose?"

Mr. Dallas said you always did."

"Dallas seems to have taken upon himself the office of chess-trumpeter on my behalf," said Beauregard, "I shall win this game to a dead certainty, Valerie, if you put your knight in such jeopardy!"

"I don't deserve to be warned," said she, retracting the move. "I was not attending to the game."

"And that was my fault. Beside, a win by a fluke is no win at all."

For some little time they played in silence. Max Beauregard was not in his usual "form." It was hardly possible he should be, with Valerie sitting opposite to him, and no other creature near; let the suffering be what it would, it was wild happiness to have her thus with him, her soft breath almost fanning his cheek, as she bent over the game; to watch the play of her face—watch every curve and contour, the fall of the golden hair—every movement of the white hand, with a never wearying, but rather increasing delight; for to love the familiar is ever the new; the best known the dearest to sight and sense.

Valerie, too, played with less than her usual skill; though—as in such cases the woman usually is—she was more inwardly self-possessed than her companion; outwardly, both seemed at present absorbed

in the game; that is, Valerie did, altogether, and Max Beauregard did when she could see his face; otherwise it would appear that he evolved the stratagem of the mimic battle from contemplation of the features and form opposite to him—a novel mode of playing chess, and not a very successful one, since it presently led to his losing a bishop without gaining any advantage. Nor was the loss a mere oversight, but led up to three or four ill-considered moves.

"Whew—w!" he said, as Valerie took the piece; "I must look sharp, Fairy Queen, or I shall be routed horse and foot."

A slight color swept over the girl's cheek at the name he called her; but she answered, smilingly:

"I thought, a few moves back, you were laying a trap; and then, when you moved that pawn," touching it, "I knew I was mistaken."

"A trap? No; I was playing carelessly," he answered, "and that won't do with you—you play far too well. I don't mean that you are careless from underrating your play, but because I didn't attend properly."

"Oh! you might play badly, for you, and beat me!" said Valerie, in perfect good faith.

"It doesn't look like it. Besides, you have supernatural skill, you know."

"Then it's no use contending at all," returned the girl, not thinking, until the words had left her mouth, the significance they might seem charged withal; but she did not change color, and added almost directly, not daring to lift her eyes: "But certainly we shall not test the truth before luncheon at the present rate."

"We can finish it another time," he said, not seeing the board at all for a minute—it was merely a confused mist—he only saw Valerie and heard the cry of his own heart in answer to her words: "Heaven help me! it is no use contending!"

But he quickly rallied, and forced himself to closer attention, and, by a few masterly moves, almost retrieved his position.

"Are there any plans for this afternoon?" he asked, presently.

"I don't know—I haven't heard of any."

"Would you go for a walk? There are some lovely walks about—over the hills and among the woods, where horses can't go."

"Who else can walk?"

"No one like you; but Mrs. Dudley can do a fair distance. Westbrook and Dallas; Travers not much; Nellie won't walk in hot weather, nor will Angela. Is Miss Linwood a pedestrian?"

Valerie laughed.

"She calls four miles a long distance."

"We must tuck on Dallas, then," said Beauregard, quickly. "But if the others will come, will you?"

The girl's heart beat fast. For the last week or more Beauregard had almost avoided her, and now this twice he sought her society—for the chess-game and for the walk; and in both cases he had carried the day—in the first by a coup de main, in the second she could not possibly refuse without making refusal much more marked than acceptance.

"I shall be very happy to come," she said.

"Thanks, so much. I do trust the other two will be amenable. Your move, Valerie. Ah! the luncheon bell! Never mind. I will take the game down on a statu quo board, and we can finish it some other day—if you like, that is!"

"Oh! I should like to finish it!" exclaimed Valerie, rising; and Max rose, too, and went to fetch the statu quo board. The tennis-party came trooping in from the lawn; Dallas and Amy Linwood turned up from somewhere else; and all went into the house.

CHAPTER XL.—OVER THE HILLS.

"A walk to-day, in all this heat!" said Lady Elinor, at the luncheon-table. "I believe there are only two people here who could have proposed such a thing."

"I plead guilty," said Colonel Beauregard, as his sister-in-law looked toward him.

"And who do you suppose will volunteer for such service?"

"Valerie has already promised, if other soldiers can be found. Who will join the colors?"

"I, for one," said Lord Westbrook.

"And I," said Mrs. Dudley, "if you don't go too far, and climb too much."

"Are you good for a climb over Mervyn's Hill, and through the woods?" asked Beauregard.

The widow made a moue.

"H'm!—yes—part of the way," she said; "and Valerie!"

"Oh! Valerie can do her twelve or fifteen miles, and climb like a goat," said Beauregard.

"Nonsense! Can you, Miss Herbert?"

"Yes," said Valerie, amused at the question. "Why not?"

"Why not? I can't walk twelve miles, Colonel."

"With good rests you can," he answered; "or ten, at any rate. Any more volunteers?"

But Amy shook her head; Dallas held his peace; and Angela, after biting her lips, suggested riding instead.

"But you can't ride over these hills, and in the wood," said Mrs. Dudley, who had mentally appropriated Max Beauregard, and handed Valerie over to Lord Westbrook.

Mrs. Langley said nothing; the walk commended itself to her, but she was not going to arouse Valerie's antagonism.

"It is not for me to decide," said Beauregard. "I put it to the meeting."

Up went Mrs. Dudley's, Valerie's, and Lord Westbrook's hands for the walk, and only Angela's for a ride, the rest giving no vote at all.

"The pedestrians have it!" cried Lillias Dudley, laughing; and Lady Elinor concealed her annoyance in a smile.

Colonel Beauregard was alone on the terrace, lounging against the balustrade, smoking a cigarette, when Valerie appeared, attired in a dress of fine serge, cream-colored,



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Mrs. Thos. Clark, of Evansville, is visiting her father, Mr. T. C. Jennings, and other relatives.

Mrs. Almira Holmes, of Clinton, and Mr. Will Freeman, of Liberty, are guests of Charles Houghland.

Late reports are that Mr. H. M. Randel is in an improved condition, and slowly nearing convalescence.

It is expected that the campaign will be opened in this city, on Sept. 10, with a speech by Senator Voorhees.

Rev. O. H. P. Abbott preached interesting sermons to good congregations, at the Baptist Church, last Sunday.

H. C. Lewis and T. T. Moore made a pilgrimage to Madison a few days since—results politically were not startling.

The Greencastle Light Infantry returned from Frankfort, Saturday night, well bronzed after their outing of a week.

Mrs. E. N. Houck is seriously sick, of erysipelas, at the residence of her son-in-law, S. E. Bell, on South Jackson street.

Miss Jean Nelson left for Hutchinson, Kansas, on Monday, where she delivers a lecture under the auspices of a local association.

The Financial Condition of the Towns and Townships.

Below we give a summary of the August reports of the Trustees of the several towns and townships of Putnam county, as shown by the settlement with the Board of County Commissioners:

FUNDS.	RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURES.	BALANCE.
Floyd Township:			
Road.....	\$ 44 23	\$ 16 45	\$ 27 78
Township.....	328 17	181 02	147 15
Spec'l School.....	368 13	142 11	226 02
Tuition.....	1265 99	61 75	1204 24
Dog.....	109 82	109 25	57
Total.....	2116 34	510 58	1605 76
Monroe Township:			
Road.....	\$ 126 03	\$ 37 90	\$ 88 13
Township.....	1133 49	209 03	924 37
Spec'l School.....	1138 86	333 12	805 74
Tuition.....	1974 43	1115 25	859 18
Dog.....	123 63	116 00	7 63
Total.....	4196 35	1811 30	2385 05
Washington Township:			
Road.....	\$ 151 41	\$ 62 62	\$ 88 79
Township.....	554 78	296 34	258 44
Spec'l School.....	674 72	388 55	286 17
Tuition.....	3040 76	1137 78	1902 98
Dog.....	119 35	15 00	104 35
Total.....	4541 02	1900 29	2640 73
Jefferson Township:			
Road.....	\$ 59 68	\$ 27 26	\$ 32 42
Township.....	394 87	255 00	139 87
Spec'l School.....	609 97	241 70	428 27
Tuition.....	2029 40	598 45	1430 95
Dog.....	102 35	114 00	104 35
Total.....	3266 27	1236 41	2030 51
Cloverdale Township:			
Road.....	\$ 406 85	\$ 39 25	\$ 367 60
Township.....	474 74	526 20	68 54
Spec'l School.....	251 83	183 67	68 16
Tuition.....	1456 15	159 00	1297 15
Dog.....	95 35	83 79	11 56
Total.....	2684 92	991 91	1744 47
Cloverdale Town:			
Spec'l School.....	\$ 198 57	\$ 262 03	\$ 62 54
Tuition.....	1491 35	812 50	678 85
Total.....	1689 92	1074 53	615 39
Carpentersville:			
Spec'l School.....	\$ 93 94	\$ 92 14	\$ 1 80
Tuition.....	385 50	249 10	136 40
Total.....	479 44	341 24	138 20
Madison Township:			
Road.....	\$ 111 62	\$ 15 00	\$ 96 62
Township.....	309 36	247 92	61 44
Spec'l School.....	163 62	361 05	197 43
Tuition.....	2950 06	1596 00	1354 06
Dog.....	122 08	100 00	22 08
Total.....	3656 74	2319 97	1336 77
Russell Township:			
Road.....	\$ 647 82	\$ 325 27	\$ 322 55
Township.....	256 09	100 67	155 42
Spec'l School.....	544 40	154 89	389 51
Tuition.....	1765 90	442 05	1323 85
Dog.....	84 81	84 81	00 00
Total.....	3299 02	1062 88	2236 14
Jackson Township:			
Road.....	\$ 412 89	\$ 272 66	\$ 140 23
Township.....	241 95	140 40	101 55
Spec'l School.....	2024 84	604 77	1420 07
Tuition.....	2618 69	952 57	1666 12
Dog.....	110 91	110 91	00 00
Total.....	5459 28	1970 40	3488 88
Franklin Township:			
Road.....	\$ 281 65	\$ 164 04	\$ 117 61
Township.....	309 54	116 00	193 54
Spec'l School.....	557 41	305 28	252 13
Tuition.....	2830 01	1219 25	1610 76
Dog.....	148 84	26 50	122 34
Total.....	4127 45	1831 07	2296 38
Clinton Township:			
Road.....	\$ 27 57	\$ 24 99	\$ 2 58
Township.....	553 96	156 67	397 29
Spec'l School.....	417 28	197 13	220 15
Tuition.....	2474 00	1042 50	1431 50
Dog.....	3472 81	1421 29	2051 52
Total.....	5472 81	2745 51	2727 30
Marion Township:			
Road.....	\$ 282 35	\$ 35 61	\$ 246 74
Township.....	618 53	406 35	212 18
Spec'l School.....	410 10	139 24	270 86
Tuition.....	1804 34	536 20	1268 14
Dog.....	112 63	21 00	91 63
Total.....	3257 95	1138 40	2119 55
Reichdale:			
Spec'l School.....	\$ 357 32	\$ 164 85	\$ 192 47
Tuition.....	1457 67	843 75	613 92
Total.....	1794 99	1008 60	786 39
Putnamville:			
Spec'l School.....	\$ 215 22	\$ 106 20	\$ 109 02
Tuition.....	652 02	431 20	220 82
Total.....	867 24	537 40	329 84
Warren Township:			
Road.....	\$ 122 39	\$ 4 78	\$ 117 61
Township.....	531 50	225 00	306 50
Spec'l School.....	337 95	113 70	224 25
Tuition.....	2078 06	763 90	1314 16
Dog.....	117 28	118 94	00 00
Total.....	3087 18	1227 32	1860 52
Greencastle City:			
Spec'l School.....	\$1807 04	\$902 75	\$844 29
Tuition.....	850 73	4725 51	3835 22
Total.....	2657 77	14353 26	12281 51
Greencastle Township:			
Road.....	\$ 903 94	\$ 255 16	\$ 648 78
Township.....	562 74	351 39	211 35
Spec'l School.....	592 30	600 29	00 00
Tuition.....	2434 66	777 00	1657 66
Dog.....	97 45	27 00	70 45
Total.....	4591 09	2010 84	2580 25
Mill Creek Township:			
Road.....	\$ 12 54	\$ 12 54	\$ 00 00
Township.....	246 04	179 69	66 35
Spec'l School.....	96 17	63 62	32 55
Tuition.....	385 91	385 91	00 00
Dog.....	79 07	79 07	00 00
Total.....	819 73	322 38	497 35

## CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Dr. Fry has been quite sick.

Mrs. R. S. Hall is home from Putnam Bay.

See the new advertisement of the Bell.

Mrs. A. G. Day is visiting at North Salem.

Prof. Ogg is home from Greene county.

Mrs. Hopwood has returned from Kentucky.

Percy Swahlen is visiting at Lebanon, Ills.

Miss Helen Hathaway has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. H. C. Allen has returned from Silver Heights.

Born, to James Strother and wife, a son, on Aug. 3.

James A. Ricketts left for Denver and Salt Lake yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Langdon have returned from West Baden.

Lawrence Mahoney is here from Indianapolis visiting his relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Pierce, of Terre Haute, have been visiting relatives here.

Dan Mahoney has the finest bed of tropical plants in this neck 'o the woods.

Misses Hallie and Jessie Darnall, of Muncie, are here visiting their grandparents.

The Bell is offering big inducements to its patrons. See the new advertisement.

Mrs. D. E. Williamson and daughter, Mrs. Sercomb, have returned from Waukesha.

Mrs. Geo. Capsadelle, of Evansville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stack.

Mrs. Flora McFarland and her grandmother, Mrs. Cooper, have been quite sick.

State Central Committeeman Hickam, of Owen county, was here on Saturday.

Elijah Grantham has been appointed administrator of the estate of Paul Lynch, deceased.

Don't buy the shop-worn goods found around town—See the new goods at the Bell.

Crawford Crawley and Kate Grimes were married at the Clerk's office, Wednesday afternoon, Elder C. M. Irwin tying the nuptial knot. There was a large attendance of witnesses to the ceremony, and the congratulations were hearty.

The contract for furnishing coal for the county was awarded by the County Board, on Wednesday, to Daniel Kelly; the prices are for screened block coal, delivered to jail and court house, in this city, at \$1.94 per ton; at Fillmore, for use at county asylum, \$2 per ton.

Real Estate Transfers.

Sheriff of Putnam county to Elijah Tressel, land in Washington tp., \$2,292.37.

Wm. Broadstreet, Exer., to W. F. Brown, lot in Cloverdale, \$250.

W. H. Long to Frank and Lilly Kennedy, lot in Russellville, \$650.

Malinda Robbins to W. L. Epper-son, land in Jackson tp., \$100.

W. J. Bowen to Rose Conger, lot in Greencastle, \$4,000.

Uriah Brown et al. to O. and L. M. Whitson, lot in Russellville, \$360.

Henry T. Hill to J. H. Scott, land in Jefferson tp., \$200.

## INDIANA STATE NEWS.

The creamery at Xenia, near Wabash, burned.

Jacob Bishop, wealthy farmer, was found dead in the road near Wabash.

Perry Boyle, of Jeffersonville, was shot in the side while fooling with an old gun.

About seventy of the soldiers while in camp at Frankfort were overcome by the heat.

A dirty tramp was stripped and whitewashed by some of his fellow tramps near Crawfordsville.

John Dodd, of Crawfordsville, who came near being lynched for the supposed murder of his son, who subsequently turned up alive, has received several white cap notices. Dodd has armed himself and is ready to do business.

Charles Graves, of Martinsville, deserted his bride-to-be after she had all her wedding clothes prepared, and eloped with Katie Wasson, aged 16.

Indianapolis complains of an epidemic of small robberies.

Through a joke started by some one, depositors made a run on the People's savings bank at Evansville. The bank is solid, however.

Geo. W. Hite and his grown son were digging a well on a farm near Huntington. The young man was down in the hole about fifteen feet deep. Hite went to the top and said something to him, but received no answer. He peered down and saw his son lying on the bottom. This frightened him, and without delay he jumped in the bucket and started down to see what was the matter with the boy. He encountered the dead body in his endeavor to save his son and died with him. Hite was widely known, being a member of the democratic national committee. The bodies were taken out of the well with great difficulty.

Thomas J. Foster, one of Laporte's leading business men, died the other morning of congestion of the brain. He served two terms as county treasurer and had filled a number of other positions of trust. Gov. Ira P. Chase officiated at the funeral.

While fishing at Ft. Wayne the other evening George W. Fishering, manager of the Foster Furniture Co., was drowned.

After three months' wrangling in council, William Brucker has been elected mayor of New Albany, to fill out the unexpired term of Mayor McDonald.

Milton S. Robinson, appellate judge, of Anderson, died from sunstroke.

Col. Thos. C. Bridwell, of Evansville, candidate for county clerk, was prostrated by heat.

At Evansville Wm. Kurtz stabbed John Rahmon to death, suspecting him of intimacy with Mrs. Kurtz.

Moses Beisker, an aged and wealthy farmer near Kokomo, committed suicide by hanging. He tried to kill himself twice before this. Two of his brothers and a nephew committed suicide in the past few years.

At Anderson, James Blackledge's valuable horse was stolen from his stable, with a saddle and bridle. Next morning thief, horse and all were captured at Rushville, and Chief of Police Welker has gone after them.

William D. Kittell, who fled the Kahn tailoring establishment, of Indianapolis, got five years in the penitentiary.

Muncie teamsters organized a union and quit work because contractors refused to pay a uniform scale of wages.

The committee has decided to locate the state soldiers' home at Tecumseh Trail, on the Wabash river, near Lafayette.

Rev. Mr. Newhouse, of Greencastle, was carried from his deathbed during a fire, to prevent him from being burned alive.

The seven-year-old daughter of a miner named Thurston, was fatally kicked and bitten by a horse at Otter Creek, near Brazil.

Two farm hands named Wm. Atwell and Charles Winn, working two miles above Evansville, quarreled about a file they were using in common, when Atwell picked up a hoe and struck Winn in the back such a terrific blow that five ribs were broken from the backbone. Winn wrenched the hoe from Atwell and struck him over the head, fracturing his skull in two places. Both men were brought to the city hospital still alive, but their death is only a question of minutes.

Mrs. D. H. Bennett, of Indianapolis, was awakened early the other morning by footsteps in her room, and, raising herself in bed, saw a man with a bull's-eye lantern leisurely examining articles of clothing and appropriating valuables. She ordered him away, but the burglar calmly replied that he had not concluded his investigations, and could not possibly leave as long as there was a possibility of finding any thing valuable. He reminded her that he did not call often and hoped she would not consider him rude if he remained longer than was agreeable to her. Mrs. Bennett then began to scream at the top of her voice, but the burglar paid no attention to her till several of the neighbors had responded to her calls for help and had entered the house. He then apologized for the trouble he had occasioned her, hoped she would not suffer from the heat and left, avoiding the neighbors as he passed out.

Two cases of sunstroke and one death at Valparaiso.

Albert Rakeshaw was fearfully bitten by a mad-dog at South Bend.

Daisy Betterly, aged 16, made the second unsuccessful attempt to end her life with poison at Columbus.

Charles Raines and Jasper Riggsby, of Frankfort, were arrested for robbing William Adams of \$100. They confessed.

Frank Ashley is the fifth man to drown while bathing in the White river, at McClintock's ford, near Anderson.

James Morgan, one of a party who invaded Mrs. Harmon's house in Brazil, was fatally cut with knives by her daughters.

A Big Four freight train collided with a Chicago and Eastern Illinois passenger train north of Brazil. Engineer Jack Stoner was badly hurt.

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